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An interview with Applicant's representative Thomas Brown was held on 12/17/2007. During this interview it became apparent that the Advisory Action, mailed 11/20/2007, should have reflected that regarding claim 11, the proposed amendment filed after a final rejection, but prior to the date of filing a brief, will not be entered because it raises new issues that would require further consideration and/or search. Specifically the proposed addition to claim 11, 'means for transmitting determines not to transmit the electronic mail of the new mail notification by the push method protocol in the received electronic mail if the electronic mail is not attached with an attached file' raises new issues that would require further consideration and/or search.

No response to this letter is required. However, the Applicant is reminded of the need to respond to the final office action.

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